

Attorney's Docket No.: 002435.P001DX

Patent

In re the Application of: Lakshmi Arunachalam Inventor(s)

Application No.: 09/296,207

Filed: April 21, 1999

For: Configurable Value-Added Network (VAN) Switching

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Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amd.		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	* 30	Minus	** 34	0	X9	\$	X18	\$ 0
Indep. Claims	* 3	Minus	*** 5	0	X40	\$ 0	X80	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					+130	\$ 0	+260	\$ 0
					Total Add. Fee	\$ 0	Total Add. Fee	\$ 0

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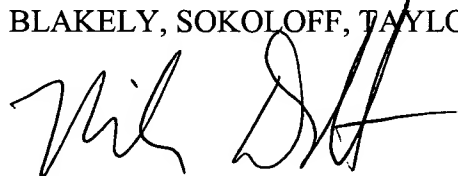
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FEE TRANSMITTAL**Complete if Known:**

Application No. Unassigned

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2. X Payment Enclosed
 X Three (3) checks in the amounts of \$ 760.00, \$ 1,002.00 , and \$40.00.
 Money Order
 Other

1. FILING FEE

<u>Large Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>			
Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee		
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
101	760	201	380	Utility application filing fee	<u>760.00</u>
106	310	206	155	Design application filing fee	<u> </u>
107	480	207	240	Plant filing fee	<u> </u>
108	760	208	380	Reissue filing fee	<u> </u>
114	150	214	75	Provisional application filing fee	<u> </u>
				SUBTOTAL (1)	\$ 760.00

2. CLAIMS					Fee from		
			<u>Extra</u>		<u>below</u>		<u>Fee Paid</u>
Total Claims	<u>54</u>	- 20 =	<u>34</u>	X	<u>18</u>	=	<u>612</u>
Independent Claims	<u>8</u>	- 3 =	<u>5</u>	X	<u>78</u>	=	<u>390</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims			<u>0</u>	X	<u>0</u>	=	<u>0</u>

<u>Large Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>			
Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee		
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of twenty	<u>612.00</u>
102	78	202	39	Independent claims in excess of 3	<u>390.00</u>
104	260	204	130	Multiple dependent claim	<u> </u>
109	78	209	39	Reissue independent claims over original patent	<u> </u>
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	<u> </u>
				SUBTOTAL (2)	\$ 1,002.00

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

<u>Large Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
<u>Fee Code</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Code</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>		
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for response within first month	
116	380	216	190	Extension for response within second month	
117	870	217	435	Extension for response within third month	
118	1,360	218	680	Extension for response within fourth month	
128	1,850	228	925	Extension for response within fifth month	
119	300	219	150	Notice of Appeal	
120	300	220	150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	260	221	130	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	
141	1,210	241	605	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	
142	1,210	242	605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	430	243	215	Design issue fee	
144	580	244	290	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146	760	246	380	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	760	249	380	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
				SUBTOTAL (3)	\$ 40.00

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

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